

Youth Services Survey for Youth (YSS) - Central Valley Region

Total Number of RECEIVED Surveys

		Frequency
Valid	May 2007	2495

Total Number of COMPLETED Surveys

		Frequency
Valid	May 2007	1936

If the instrument is not completed, the PRIMARY reason must be indicated.

		Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid	Refused	190	40.7
	Impairment	25	5.4
	Language	10	2.1
	Other	242	51.8
	Total	467	100.0
Missing		92	
Total		559	

Demographic Data

Gender

		Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid	Female	901	47.4
	Male	998	52.5
	Other	1	.1
	Total	1900	100.0
Missing		36	
Total		1936	

Ethnicity

		Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid	African American	220	11.8
	Asian/Pacific Islander	50	2.7
	Hispanic	707	37.9
	Native American	31	1.7
	White	574	30.8
	Other	57	3.1
	More than 1 race	227	12.2
	Total	1866	100.0
Missing		70	
Total		1936	

Age Category

		Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid	Less than 13 years old	95	6.1
	13 years old	237	15.1
	14 years old	287	18.3
	15 years old	281	17.9
	16 years old	258	16.4
	17 years old	244	15.5
	18 - 21 years old	151	9.6
	22 years or older	17	1.1
	Total	1570	100.0
Missing		366	
Total		1936	

Service-Related Data

How long have you received services here?

		Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid	This is my first visit here	52	3.2
	> 1 visit, but < one month	133	8.3
	1 to 2 months	175	10.9
	3 to 5 months	278	17.3
	6 months to 1 year	411	25.5
	More than 1 year	561	34.8
	Total	1610	100.0
Missing		326	
Total		1936	

Were the services you received provided in the language you prefer?

		Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid	No	73	4.3
	Yes	1612	95.7
	Total	1685	100.0
Missing	Unknown	251	
Total		1936	

Was written information (e.g., brochures describing available services, your rights as a consumer, and mental health education materials) available to you in the language you prefer?

		Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid	No	94	5.8
	Yes	1518	94.2
	Total	1612	100.0
Missing	Unknown	324	
Total		1936	

Language of instrument

		Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid	Chinese	1	.1
	English	1910	98.7
	Spanish	25	1.3
	Total	1936	100.0

Who helped in completing the Survey?

I did not need any help.

		Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid	No	784	40.5
	Yes	1152	59.5
	Total	1936	100.0

A mental health advocate / volunteer helped me.

		Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid	No	1885	97.4
	Yes	51	2.6
	Total	1936	100.0

Another mental health consumer helped me.

		Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid	No	1915	98.9
	Yes	21	1.1
	Total	1936	100.0

A member of my family helped me.

		Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid	No	1707	88.2
	Yes	229	11.8
	Total	1936	100.0

A professional interviewer helped me.

		Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid	No	1920	99.2
	Yes	16	.8
	Total	1936	100.0

My clinician / case manager helped me.

		Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid	No	1800	93.0
	Yes	136	7.0
	Total	1936	100.0

A staff member other than my clinician or case manager helped me.

		Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid	No	1854	95.8
	Yes	82	4.2
	Total	1936	100.0

Someone else helped me.

		Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid	No	1848	95.5
	Yes	88	4.5
	Total	1936	100.0

Living Situation

Living Situation Categories

	Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid Parent	827	42.7
Family Member	156	8.1
Foster Home	162	8.4
Therapeutic Foster Home	5	.3
Crisis Shelter	4	.2
Homeless Shelter	4	.2
Group home	54	2.8
Residential Treatment Center	2	.1
Hospital	4	.2
Local Jail or Detention Facility	10	.5
State Correctional Facility	1	.1
Runaway / Homeless / On the Streets	6	.3
Other	62	3.2
More than One Living Situation Indicated	452	23.3
No Living Situation Indicated	187	9.7
Total	1936	100.0

Health-Related Data

Do you have Medi-Cal (Medicaid) insurance?

	Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid No	264	16.1
Yes	1380	83.9
Total	1644	100.0
Missing	292	
Total	1936	

In the last year, did you see a medical doctor (or nurse) for a health check-up or because you were sick?

	Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid Yes, in a clinic or office	881	54.9
Yes, but only in a hospital emergency room	182	11.3
No	270	16.8
Do not remember	271	16.9
Total	1604	100.0
Missing	332	
Total	1936	

Are you on medication for emotional / behavioral problems?

		Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid	No	800	50.7
	Yes	779	49.3
	Total	1579	100.0
Missing		357	
Total		1936	

If YES, did the doctor or nurse tell you what side effects to watch for?

		Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid	No	118	16.4
	Yes	600	83.6
	Total	718	100.0
Missing		61	
Total		779	

School Attendance

If you have been receiving services for ONE YEAR OR LESS, were you expelled or suspended since beginning services?

		Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid	No	648	76.9
	Yes	195	23.1
	Total	843	100.0
Missing		206	
Total		1049	

If you have been receiving services for ONE YEAR OR LESS, were you expelled or suspended during the 12 months prior to that?

		Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid	No	602	73.1
	Yes	222	26.9
	Total	824	100.0
Missing		225	
Total		1049	

If you have been receiving services for ONE YEAR OR LESS, since starting to receive services, the number of days you were in school is:

	Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid Greater	219	30.7
About the same	289	40.5
Less	54	7.6
Does not apply	152	21.3
Total	714	100.0
Missing	335	
Total	1049	

If you have been receiving services for ONE YEAR OR LESS, the question regarding the number of days you were in school does not apply because:

	Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid No problem with attendance before starting services	79	70.5
I was expelled from school	4	3.6
I am home schooled	12	10.7
I dropped out of school	5	4.5
Other	12	10.7
Total	112	100.0
Missing	40	
Total	152	

If you have been receiving services for MORE THAN ONE YEAR, were you expelled or suspended during the last 12 months?

	Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid No	279	71.5
Yes	111	28.5
Total	390	100.0
Missing	171	
Total	561	

If you have been receiving services for MORE THAN ONE YEAR, were you expelled or suspended during the 12 months prior to that?

	Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid No	278	72.0
Yes	108	28.0
Total	386	100.0
Missing	175	
Total	561	

If you have been receiving services for MORE THAN ONE YEAR, over the last year, the number of days you were in school is:

	Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid Greater	130	35.3
About the same	122	33.2
Less	42	11.4
Does not apply	74	20.1
Total	368	100.0
Missing	193	
Total	561	

If you have been receiving services for MORE THAN ONE YEAR, the questions regarding the number of days you were in school does not apply because:

	Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid No problem with attendance before starting services	39	68.4
I was expelled from school	4	7.0
I am home schooled	3	5.3
I dropped out of school	4	7.0
Other	7	12.3
Total	57	100.0
Missing	17	
Total	74	

Arrest Information

If you have been receiving services for ONE YEAR OR LESS, were you arrested since beginning to receive mental health services?

	Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid No	869	89.2
Yes	105	10.8
Total	974	100.0
Missing	75	
Total	1049	

If you have been receiving services for ONE YEAR OR LESS, were you arrested during the 12 months prior to that?

	Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid No	842	87.3
Yes	123	12.7
Total	965	100.0
Missing	84	
Total	1049	

If you have been receiving services for ONE YEAR OR LESS, since you began to receive mental health services, have your encounters with the police:

		Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid	Been reduced	182	20.2
	Stayed the same	136	15.1
	Increased	44	4.9
	Not Applicable (No police encounters this year or last year)	541	59.9
	Total	903	100.0
Missing		146	
Total		1049	

If you have been receiving services for MORE THAN ONE YEAR, were you arrested during the last 12 months?

		Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid	No	370	89.8
	Yes	42	10.2
	Total	412	100.0
Missing		149	
Total		561	

If you have been receiving services for MORE THAN ONE YEAR, were you arrested during the 12 months prior to that?

		Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid	No	374	91.9
	Yes	33	8.1
	Total	407	100.0
Missing		154	
Total		561	

If you have been receiving services for MORE THAN ONE YEAR, over the last year, have your encounters with the police:

		Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid	Been reduced	67	18.2
	Stayed the same	39	10.6
	Increased	22	6.0
	Not Applicable (No police encounters this year or last year)	241	65.3
	Total	369	100.0
Missing		192	
Total		561	

Satisfaction with Services

Perception of Access to Services

		Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid	Dissatisfied	56	3.0
	Somewhat Dissatisfied	89	4.8
	Neutral	365	19.7
	Satisfied	916	49.4
	Very Satisfied	429	23.1
	Total	1855	100.0
Missing		81	
Total		1936	

Perception of Cultural Sensitivity

		Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid	Dissatisfied	17	.9
	Somewhat Dissatisfied	20	1.1
	Neutral	175	9.7
	Satisfied	900	50.1
	Very Satisfied	685	38.1
	Total	1797	100.0
Missing		139	
Total		1936	

Perception of Participation in Treatment Planning

		Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid	Dissatisfied	31	1.6
	Somewhat Dissatisfied	82	4.3
	Neutral	411	21.6
	Satisfied	1006	52.9
	Very Satisfied	370	19.5
	Total	1900	100.0
Missing		36	
Total		1936	

Social Connectedness

		Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid	Dissatisfied	24	1.3
	Somewhat Dissatisfied	40	2.1
	Neutral	279	14.9
	Satisfied	1030	55.0
	Very Satisfied	499	26.7
	Total	1872	100.0
Missing		64	
Total		1936	

Functioning

	Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid Dissatisfied	26	1.4
Somewhat Dissatisfied	75	4.0
Neutral	504	26.8
Satisfied	947	50.3
Very Satisfied	331	17.6
Total	1883	100.0
Missing	53	
Total	1936	

Outcomes

	Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid Dissatisfied	24	1.3
Somewhat Dissatisfied	100	5.3
Neutral	571	30.3
Satisfied	919	48.8
Very Satisfied	268	14.2
Total	1882	100.0
Missing	54	
Total	1936	

General Satisfaction

	Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid Dissatisfied	31	1.6
Somewhat Dissatisfied	56	2.9
Neutral	308	15.9
Satisfied	1025	52.9
Very Satisfied	516	26.7
Total	1936	100.0

Descriptive Statistics

	N	Minimum	Maximum	Mean	Std. Deviation
Average: Perception of Access to Services	1855	1.00	5.00	3.9747	.87649
Average: Perception of Cultural Sensitivity	1797	1.00	5.00	4.2719	.69233
Average: Outcomes	1900	1.00	5.00	3.8570	.79111
Average: Functioning	1883	1.00	5.00	3.7890	.76502
Average: Social Connectedness	1872	1.00	5.00	4.0913	.72913
Average: Perception of Participation in Treatment Planning	1882	1.00	5.00	3.7549	.75872
Average: General Satisfaction	1936	1.00	5.00	4.0394	.77474
Valid N (listwise)	1641				